

Remarks

ELECTION/RESTRICTION

The examiner is restricting prosecution to one of:

Invention I. Claims 1-8 and 14-20, drawn to an optical module, classified in class 385, subclass 92; or

Invention II. Claims 9-13, drawn to a method and data communication, classified in class 398, subclass 140.

Applicants herein elect without traverse Claims 1-8 and 14-20 and withdraws Claims 9-13 without prejudice.

If the Examiner has any questions, he is invited to contact the undersigned at (503) 796-2492.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge shortages or credit overpayments to Deposit Account No. 500393.

Respectfully submitted,
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